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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: EC IMPORT LICENSING FOR SEEDS

REF: STATE 164189

1. MISSION OFFICERS MET WITH LOERKE AND TULLY (DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR EXTERNAL RELATIONS) CONCERNING THE PROPOSED EC IMPORT LICENSING SYSTEM FOR SEEDS, AND DISCUSSED IT WITH MIONI OF DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR AGRICULTURE. WE TOLD THEM THAT WE HAD RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM THE SEED TRADE THAT THE COMMISSION WAS CONSIDERING ESTABLISHING AN IMPORT LICENSE-SURETY DEPOSIT SYSTEM FOR SEEDS. WE ALSO MENTIONED THAT THE PROPOSED REGULATION WAS SAID TO CONTAIN PROVISIONS FOR THE EXEMPTION OF MULTIPLICATION CONTRACTS REGISTERED WITH THE COMMISSION FROM THE SURETY DEPOSIT SCHEME. AS PER THE REFTEL, WE INFORMED THEM OF THE U.S. OBJECTIONS TO AN IMPORT LICENSING-SURETY DEPOSIT SCHEME FOR SEEDS. WE ALSO GAVE THEM THE DATA ON U.S. SEED EXPORTS TO THE EC CONTAINED IN THE REFTEL.

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2. OFFICIALS OF DG I SAID THAT THEY WERE UNAWARE OF THE PRO-

POSED COMMISSION REGULATION BUT THAT THEY WOULD LOOK INTO THE
MATTER AND GET BACK TO US SHORTLY. BUT MIONI, WHO HAS PI-
LOTED THE WORK ON THIS DRAFT REGULATION, CONFIRMED ITS EXISTENCE
AND CONTENTS AS DESCRIBED IN THE REFTEL. HE SAID A REASONABLE
TARGET DATE FOR GETTING IT OUT OF THE COMMISSION WAS NEXT
OCTOBER.HINTON

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